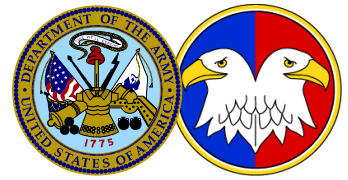




DEERS/RAPIDS

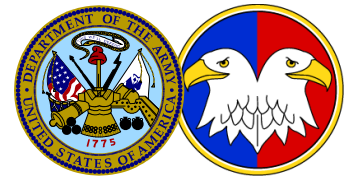


Objectives

- **DEERS/RAPIDS Systems**
- **Where They Are Located**
- **What Documentation is Needed**
- **Who can Get an ID Card**
- **Why is Enrollment Important**



What is **DEERS/RAPIDS?**



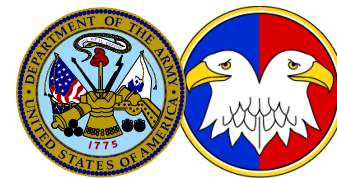
Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS)

Real-time Automated Personnel Identification System (RAPIDS)





How Does DEERS/RAPIDS Work?



- One central system for all services
- Automated method to enroll in DEERS
- Issue ID cards
- Feeds information into other systems

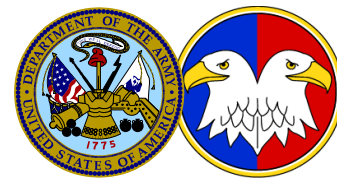
Contact DEERS at www.tricare.osd.mil/deers

1-800-538-9552

RAPIDS Site Locator: www.dmdc.osd.mil/rsi



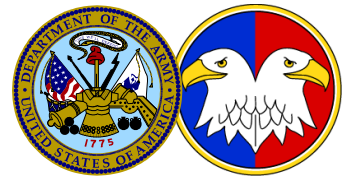
Documentation Required



- **Verify family member status, complete and sign the DD Form 1172 (Application for Uniformed Services Identification Card DEERS Enrollment)**
- **Bring supporting documentation**
- **If soldier is not present, a signed DD Form 1172 or Power of Attorney**



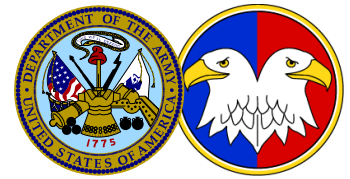
Who Are Dependents?



- **Spouse**
- **Children - age 10 and Under 10 if:**
 - **Dual military couple or single parent**
 - **Not residing with eligible dependent**
 - **Over 23 and physically incapable of self-support**



Importance of Enrollment



**DEERS is the key to
accessing all
benefits and
entitlements!**